

Berkeley Heights Public Schools

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BOE SPECIAL MEETING REMINDER THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7

This meeting will open in public at 7:00 p.m. in the Governor Livingston High School Cafeteria for the purpose of Interviewing Architects who submitted an RFP and adjourn immediately to Executive Session; the Public Session is scheduled to begin at approximately 9:30 p.m.

Action may be taken.

To view the meeting live on Zoom.



Open Public Meetings Act as follows:

On November 21, 2023 notice of the Board of Education Meeting schedule was sent to the Star Ledger and the Courier News and was also provided to all schools, PTO Presidents, the BHEA President, and posted at the Administration Building. A copy was also provided to the Public Library and filed with the Municipal Clerk.

FLAG SALUTE

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC ON ANY TOPIC

During this portion of the meeting, District residents and staff are invited to address the Board of Education on any item

The Board requests that individuals state their name and town of residence (or school of attendance) for the record. All comments should be directed to the Board President and depending upon the nature and complexity of the question, it may or may not be answered during the meeting by the Administration. If so, the response would occur after this public portion of the meeting has concluded. Although the Board may not respond to all items raised during the public forum, all public comments will be considered.

The Board asks that members of the public be courteous and mindful of the rights of other individuals when speaking. Specifically, comments regarding personnel matters are discouraged and cannot be responded to by the Board. Students and employees have specific legal rights afforded by the laws of New Jersey. The Board bears no responsibility nor will it be liable for any comments made by members of the public

Please note that if any member of the public becomes disruptive during the meeting the Board President may terminate the participant's statement. Continued disruptions may result in removal from, or adjournment of, the meeting.

Each speaker's statement will be limited to three (3) minutes in duration.

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ADJOURN TO EXECUTIVE SESSION

WHEREAS, the Berkeley Heights Board of Education seeks to adjourn to Executive Session in full compliance with the Open Public Meetings Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-6 et seq.; and

WHEREAS, the Open Public Meetings Act provides that a public body may exclude the public from that portion of the meeting at which it discusses matters related to those identified below:

- a. Matters rendered confidential by Federal Law, State Law, or Court Rule
- b. Individual privacy
- c. Collective bargaining agreements
- d. Purchase or lease of real property if public interest could be adversely affected
- e. Investment of public funds if public interest could be adversely affected
- f. Tactics or techniques utilized in protecting public safety and property
- g. Pending or anticipated litigation h. Attorney-client privilege
- i. Personnel employment matters affecting specific prospective or current employees.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Berkeley Heights Board of Education adjourns to Executive Session to discuss matters related to Architect Interviews; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the minutes of the discussion of any of these items will be disclosed to the public when matters have been determined and confidentiality is no longer applicable.

RETURN TO PUBLIC SESSION

ADJOURNMENT



7:00 PM 10:00 PM

BOE Meeting (click for additional details)

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